

RFP N21129 NEWBORN SCREENING DATA ENTRY AMENDMENT #1

BIDDER QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. Can companies from outside the USA apply for this? *Yes.*
2. Can we perform the tasks (related to RFP) outside the USA? *Yes. Subject to data security requirements and HIPAA regulations, bidders may propose appropriate and secure methods of data transfer that meet the required timelines.*
3. Do we need to come over there for meetings? *Yes, one or more initial face-to-face meeting(s) is required during the start-up phase. Additional or ongoing meetings may be necessary and these may be scheduled via teleconference, if appropriate..*
4. Can we submit our proposals via email? *Yes. Please reference RFP section 2.4 Submission of Bids.*
5. Would you entertain the option of the vendor scanning the documents onsite at the Public Health Laboratory, electronically transmitting the scanned documents to the data entry facility where the information would be keyed and returned electronically to the PHL? *Yes. Bidders may propose alternate secure methods of obtaining the raw data that meet the required timelines and provide appropriate training for any staff in physical contact with the NBS forms.*